

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality



Notice of Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation Application General Permit Authorization No. TXG920297

Application. Eltje Frans Brand, P. O. Box 11, Energy, Texas 76452 has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) under General Permit No. TXG920000 for a substantial change to the terms of the nutrient management plan (NMP) previously submitted to the TCEQ. The Applicant is proposing to reconfigure the land management units (LMUs). LMU 1 – 37 acres and LMU 1A – 23 acres have been combined to form a new LMU 1 – 76 acres (with the addition of new land). The acreages of the following LMUs have increased: LMU 3A from 39 to 42 acres, LMU 3B from 16 to 18 acres and LMU 4 from 52 to 65 acres. The acreages of the following LMUs have decreased: LMU 2 from 55 to 48 acres, LMU 5 from 36 to 26 acres, Pivot 4 from 30 to 26 acres and Pivot 5 from 15 to 11 acres. The total LMU acreage has increased from 478 to 488 acres. The notice of change application and the updated NMP were received by TCEQ on August 23, 2016.

No discharge of pollutants into the waters in the state is authorized by this general permit except under chronic or catastrophic rainfall conditions or events. All waste and wastewater will be beneficially used on agricultural land.

The facility is located at 14750 Highway 16, Comanche in Comanche County, Texas. The facility is located in the drainage area of the Leon River Below Proctor Lake in Segment No. 1221 of the Brazos River Basin. The following link to an electronic map of the site or facility's general location is provided as a public courtesy and not part of the application or notice.

<http://www.tceq.texas.gov/assets/public/hb610/index.html?lat=31.858611&lng=-98.605&zoom=13&type=r>. For exact location, refer to the application.

A copy of the notice of change, the terms of the NMP, and the Executive Director's technical summary is available for viewing and copying at the TCEQ's Office of the Chief Clerk, 12100 Park 35 Circle Austin, Texas 78753, and the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality Region 4, Stephenville Office, 580 D West Lingleville Road, Stephenville, Texas 76401.

The Executive Director of the TCEQ has made a preliminary decision to approve the proposed changes under General Permit No. TXG920000.

Public Comment/ Public Meeting. You may submit public comments or request a public meeting on this application. The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or to ask questions about the application. TCEQ will hold a public meeting if the Executive Director determines that

there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing.

Information. Written public comments should be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 or electronically at <http://www14.tceq.texas.gov/epic/eComment/> within 30 days of the date this notice is issued. For additional information about this application, contact Mr. Norman Mullin, Enviro-Ag Engineering, Inc. at (806) 353-6123 or Ms. Joy Alabi, Land Applications Team TCEQ at (512) 239-1318. Si desea información en Español, puede llamar al 1-800-687-4040. General information regarding the TCEQ can be found at our web site at www.tceq.texas.gov/.

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